

BREWSTER GETS 257 VOTES IN OFFICIAL COUNT

The results of the official count of the Republican votes cast in the primary election here Tuesday are as follows:

UNITED STATES SENATOR	
David M. Proctor	81
John C. McKinley	91
Jesse W. Barrett	170
John H. Parker	10
William Sacks	39
R. R. Brewster	257
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT DIVISION NO. 1.	
Conway Elder	318
Elroy S. Phillips	179
JUDGE OF SUPREME COURT DIVISION NO. 2.	
Edward Higbee	650
Francis M. Hayward	656
JUDGE ST. LOUIS COURT OF APPEALS	
Charles H. Daues	730
STATE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT	
Sam A. Baker	736
REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS	
Theo. W. Hukreide	699
JUDGE, CIRCUIT COURT	
Claude Ball	726
FOR REPRESENTATIVE	
Henry Dean	735
PRESIDING JUDGE, COUNTY COURT	
Charles Householder	735
JUDGE COUNTY COURT, EASTERN DISTRICT	
F. H. Naysmith	376
JUDGE, COUNTY COURT, WESTERN DISTRICT	
G. C. Turner	340
The Republican committeemen are as follows:	
CUIVRE TOWNSHIP	
A. J. Foskell	116
W. R. Hollis	78
SALT RIVER	
J. H. Hebel	23
Harry Householder	22
PRAIRIE	
K. Kennen	63
T. E. Barker	48
LINN	
Charles Martens	17
Val Erdel	15
LOUTRE	
W. R. Ballew	22
Lee Brown	49
MEBICO, 1ST WARD	
A. B. Shattuck	27
R. A. Markwell	26
MEXICO, 2ND WARD	
L. McGamle	48
M. B. Scott	42
MEXICO, 3RD WARD	
Arthur T. Ankrom	20
R. R. Buckner	18
MEXICO, 4TH WARD	
J. Garrett Barnes	59
M. T. Vandegrift	66
WILSON	
J. D. Allison	34
Charles Householder	36
SALING	
Newt Burkey	14
W. E. Hoffman	20

Mrs. W. H. Berger, who underwent an operation at Audrain Hospital Monday, is getting along nicely.

F. W. Wallace of Ladonia transferred business in Mexico Friday.

200 PRESENT AT BAPTIST MEETING HERE

Over two hundred ministers and laymen of the Baptist Churches of Missouri were present at conference which was held in Mexico Thursday. This was a large attendance considering the fact that many of those who were asked to be present were away on their vacations and did not receive the notification of the meeting.

L. R. Scarborough of Fort Worth, Tex., made three powerful addresses during the day on the general theme of "Winning Men to Christ." At the close of his evening address, three persons volunteered for Christian service. They were Miss Carrie Griffin and Misses Ruth and Archusa Edwards.

In the morning a conference was held concerning the re-enforcement campaign in the \$75,000,000 drive which the church is now conducting. R. E. Burkhalter of Nashville, Tenn., J. C. Owen of Fulton, O. L. Wood of Kansas City and David L. Harris, moderator of the Baptist State convention, made short talks concerning the campaign.

During the evening a quartet composed of George Wagner, Ross Wagner, W. B. Sappington and Melville Paul sang a number of selections.

WILL SPEAK AT TEACHERS' MEETING HERE

Among those who will speak at the annual Audrain County teachers' meeting which will be held in Mexico August 28 and 29 will be Dave Neale of Kirksville, George Nardin and R. H. Emberson of Columbia, Dick Laidlaw and H. U. G. Turnmire of Unionville.

The purpose of the meeting will be to plan for the work of the schools during the coming school year and especially to discuss the organization and work of Boys' and Girls' Clubs.

WINDOW DISPLAY OF WALTER J. SANNEBECK WINS FIRST STATE PRIZE
The window display of Walter J. Sannebeck's grocery store won the first prize in Missouri in a contest conducted by the Fairbanks Co. for displays of their products. Mr. Sannebeck's window was the display of the chasing out of "old man dirt". The contest includes the United States and Canada and Mr. Sannebeck's window ranked 79 out of 1,316 prizes given.

Marry Here Thursday.
Bert Willingham and Miss Pearl Sherrow of Mexico were married Thursday afternoon by Judge E. A. Shannon in the probate judge's office.

H. C. Stokes, of California, formerly of this city, is visiting in Mexico. He reports his father and sisters, who reside in the same state, as well.

WEDDINGS

Two weddings took place at the Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon, the Rev. J. H. Hughes performing both ceremonies.

At 2 o'clock Miss Angie Sanderson became the wife of Henry Benham in the presence of a few Mexico friends. Both the bridegroom and bride live in Auxvasse.

At 5 o'clock the wedding of Roy Seal of Ladonia to Miss Nadine Bowen of Farber took place in the presence of the bride's mother and a few intimate friends.

The marriage of Miss Pearl Biggers, daughter of Mrs. Susie Biggers to James Given, son of J. A. Given took place at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon in the study of the Methodist Church, the Rev. W. C. Cowart officiating.

Miss Biggers has been in the employ of the Bell Telephone Company here for a number of years and is the eighth woman employee of the company to marry since Christmas. She is a most efficient and attractive young woman and has a number of friends here.

Mr. Given is a prominent young farmer of this county, and is a most promising young man.

The young couple will make their home on Mr. Given's farm near Centralia.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Clotworthy were present at the ceremony. The Ledger extends sincere congratulations.

The marriage of Gideon M. Powell, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Powell of Mexico to Miss Mabel Shaw of Wichita Falls, Tex., took place at 8 o'clock Friday evening in the First Christian Church of Colorado Springs in the presence of a few friends and immediate relatives of the bride. Paul J. Brown of Greenville, N. C., was the best man and Mrs. Howard A. Shaw, sister-in-law of the bride, was matron of honor.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Shaw and was educated at Fairmount College, Wichita, Kas.

The bridegroom tried to enlist in the United States Army but was rejected on account of his health but was accepted in the navy in 1917, being one of the first nine volunteers from Audrain County. He served twenty-three months, sixteen of which were overseas. During this time he served eleven months in the mine service in the North Sea and the rest of the time on a submarine chaser and the United States cruiser, Chester.

Following his discharge from the service he has spent several years in the West on account of his health which is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell arrived in Mexico Monday and after spending several weeks visiting relatives here will go to St. Louis where Mr. Powell will take replacement training.

The Ledger joins the many friends of Mr. Powell in extending sincere congratulations to this young couple.

The marriage of Miss Gladys McGee to Ralph Hutcherson took place at 5:30 Monday afternoon at the office of R. B. Hooten, justice of the peace, who performed the ceremony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McGee of west Mexico and attended McMillan High School. She is an attractive and capable young woman and is popular in both social and church circles.

Mr. Hutcherson has made his home in Mexico for some time and for two years has been linotype operator at the Ledger. He has been active in the Holiness Church for some time and had been superintendent of that Sunday School for over a year.

A number of neighbors and friends of the young couple surprised them with a charivari at their home 420 W. Jackson Street Monday evening.

The Ledger extends heartfelt congratulations and best wishes to both Mr. and Mrs. Hutcherson.

J. S. Cullen of Jefferson City came to Mexico Thursday.

SEVENTEEN STRIKE-BREAKERS ARE NOW AT WORK AT FRANCIS

Seventeen strikebreakers are now at work in the Chicago and Alton rail road shops at Francis. For several weeks from fifteen to eighteen men have been at work and there has been absolutely no trouble with striking shopmen. The men are being fed and housed in cars at Francis.

Nate Phillip, who is visiting in Chicago, writes home that since the street car strike there, he is walking to reduce. At home Nate accomplishes the same end with golf.

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MISS CUNNINGHAM FINDS KENTUCKY INTERESTING

Miss Addie Earle Cunningham, who recently went to Kentucky to carry on public health work, has written the Ledger a very interesting letter, Miss Cunningham tells of her work and the quaint people she meets as follows:

My Dear Mr. White:—
If you have a tiny corner in your paper, I'd like to print just a few words of greeting from the old Kentucky hills.

And they are such wonderful old hills and caves and waterfalls, telling you of romance and all the mystic histories and fends and intrigues of the ages. It's a land of mountains, mining, and "moonshine," yet you almost think of Alice in the Story Book Land when you see the quaint log cabins, swinging foot bridges and ox teams.

One of my first calls when I came here was from one of those little log cabins. It was of course night and cloudy and dark. "Dec, he'd gone to Flat Gap ten miles away and the little feller might be sick." With a miners carbide lamp we went what seemed like miles, up and down the hills and across foot bridges. But when the clouds were clearer you could see the wonderful old mountains one back of the other and the trees and the river and you loved it every bit. And you were glad too; in that home, to nurse the "little feller" and, by the sole light of open, fire place, to do the best that you could until morning and the doctor's return.

And the people—true hearted and sincere yet—so greatly in need of help. As you go by boat or on horseback, he only means of travel through many of our winding and precipitous mountain ways—you find poverty and ignorance and disease and often whole families are found in one room shacks, sleeping on pallets and cooking over tiny fireplaces. Only last week a case where a mother and four children were seriously afflicted with trachoma and were having hemorrhages from tuberculosis. My town and county officials are most cooperative and earnest in their help and there is so much that we want to do. We have already been busy inspecting and weighing school children, testing wells, investigating sources of our numerous cases of typhoid fever, giving serum and preventive care. We have a prenatal and baby clinic and also a Venereal Clinic established with state aid. We do much trackman work and are expecting Dr. Cobert of Louisville to come to us this fall for a second clinic. We have also had two cleanup campaigns and have established a permanent system of garbage removal.

We are busy, busy people but happy in the hearty backing of those responsible and in the sincere gratitude and love of the mountain folk—like children mayhap, in their simple and primitive way; yet you love them in their rugged honesty and characters untouched by worldliness—And because they love you.

We need more public health workers. I wish more nurses would come to beautiful old Kentucky.
Sincerely,
ADDE EARLE CUNNINGHAM.
Pointsville, Ky.

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Is Enjoying Fishing Trip in the North

Plum Lake, Sayner, Wisconsin.

Dear Mitchell:—

This lake is 392 miles north of Chicago via the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul R. R. It is five miles long and a mile wide and ranges in depth from one to seventy feet. Its name is from the color of the water, which late in the afternoon appears reddish or plum color and several kinds of fish, including muskellunge, pickerel, yike, bass and perch are to be found in its waters. The muskellunge is considered the best for sport and the most edible. The largest ever caught weighed 52 pounds. Owing to the game and fish laws of the state, one cannot take out a muskie under 10 pounds—34 inches; pickerel, under 6 pounds and a bass 10 inches in length. This is not a fisherman's paradise. Sometimes they bite and sometimes you may troll for a day or two, gather some weeds or small green vines on your hook and return with fisherman's luck. We caught 17 perch and rock bass one afternoon. The climate varies from 40 to 70 degrees yet from 12 to 3 o'clock in the afternoon on a clear day one can easily sunburn.

The country is wood and hilly and at one time was covered with vast forests of pine of every variety—white, Norway, spruce, hemlock, balsam, tannetack, etc. The loggers and forest fires have destroyed much of this but near the lakes there are dense forests of small trees. The soil is a reddish, sandy loam, growing grasses and clover of adjoining states, but winter from October to April with snow four feet and ice three feet thick and 40 degrees below it is therefore not adapted for stock raising. The natives fills his ice house and awaits the coming of the summer tourist and cares for him (if he boards) at from \$20 to \$30 a week. There are some fifty residences around the margin of the lake and on the islands, each with a boat house, sail, motor, oars, canoes, in fact all kinds for pleasure and fishing.

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LOCAL GOLFERS WIN FROM FULTON TEAM

Mexico golfers met a Fulton tournament team Thursday afternoon on the course of the MexicoCountry Club and defeated the visitors four points. Quite a gallery watched the play during the afternoon and following the match a picnic supper was served in honor of the visitors.

L. B. Hawthorne shot the lowest score for a local player with an 87. George Johnson, of Fulton, made an 88. Recently Fulton defeated Mexico on the former's course. The final score was 76 to 72 in favor of Mexico.

The medal scores and points by foursomes was as follows:

The first two names Mexico players.

J. Luckie—54-46 total—100

J. P. Jesse—48-51—99.

Points—11.

Rootes—49-49—98.

Norris—46-47—93.

Points—17.

Bruce—47-46—93.

Arthur—45-44—89.

Points 10.

Tucker—46-46—92.

Ethel—46-47—93.

Points—8.

S. Sharp—45-45—90.

C. Jackson—44-44—88.

Points 9.

Johnston—43-40—83.

Wilson—46-49—95.

Points—13.

Arnold—46-47—93.

Hawthorne—44-43—87.

Points—20.

Black—51-46—97.

Becker—53-49—102.

Points—10.

Pilcher—52-57—109.

McKinley—52-49—101.

Points—7.

Van Sant—52-49—101.

Gilbert—51-47—98.

Points—16.